

## **DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

**Federal Aviation Administration** 

[Summary Notice No. -2022-21]

Petition for Exemption; Summary of Petition Received; Wiggins Airways, Inc.

**AGENCY:** Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), Department of Transportation (DOT).

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice contains a summary of a petition seeking relief from specified requirements of Federal Aviation Regulations. The purpose of this notice is to improve the public's awareness of, and participation in, the FAA's exemption process. Neither publication of this notice nor the inclusion nor omission of information in the summary is intended to affect the legal status of the petition or its final disposition.

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PETITION FOR EXEMPTION

**Docket No.:** FAA-2021-0707

Petitioner: Wiggins Airways, Inc.

**Section of 14 CFR Affected:** § 135.243(c)(2)

Description of Relief Sought: Petitioner Wiggins Airways, Inc. seeks relief from the pilot

experience requirements of 14 CFR 135.243(c)(2). For all-cargo operations in its fleet of Cessna

208 Caravans (C-208) operations with a maximum certificated takeoff weight less than 12,500

lbs. and fixed tricycle landing gear, Wiggins Airways seeks relief from §135.243(c)(2) to allow a

pilot to serve as pilot in command who has a minimum of 800 hours of flight time as a pilot to

include at least 500 hours in airplanes and cross country flight time of 400 hours. For all-cargo

operations in other fleet types, consisting of twin-engine land turboprop airplanes, limited to

types with a maximum certificated takeoff weight not to exceed 12,500 pounds, and not

requiring the pilot in command to possess a type rating, Wiggins Airways seeks relief from

§135.243(c)(2) to allow a pilot to serve as pilot in command who has a minimum of 1000 hours

of flight time as a pilot to include at least 500 hours in airplanes.

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